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In re Application of

Norikatsu KOIDE

Serial No.:	10/685,005	Group Art Unit:	2826
Filed:	October 15, 2003	Examiner:	Dickey, Thomas L.

For: METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING GALLIUM NITRIDE COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTOR

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION AND RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2004, please consider the following:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.